03-18-2019 Minutes

McDonald County Commission—Minutes

March 18th, 2019

Present:

Bill Lant- Presiding Commissioner John Bunch - Eastern Commissioner David Holloway- Western Commissioner Kimberly Bell - County Clerk

General Business

Tim Hernandez had an appointment to speak with the Commission regarding Duncan Drive. Mr. Hernandez did not show up to the meeting.

Commission held a conference call with Morton Buildings representatives regarding the Jail expansion and remodel project. On the phone with Morton were Sean Marcotte (facilitator of the conference call), Pete Hocking, Ken Mata, Pat Mooney, Matt Milby, Troy Erickson and Richard (Dickey) Hinman. Mr. Marcotte started the discussion by stating the complaints regarding the project that he knew; workmanship quality and supervisor of the project. Commissioner Bunch gave specific details of the complaints the county had with the entire project, start to finish. He stated for the entirety of the project there was no corporate representation from Morton Buildings. Bunch had made several calls to the Corporate office stating dissatisfaction throughout each phase of the project and to request a representative from Morton be sent to evaluate shortfalls. He also mentioned there was no project manager on site for the last eight months to one year. McDonald County has only original plans and did not receive any as-builts. Mr. Marcotte stated a visit from the corporate office was needed to tour the project, as well as compare plans. A visit will be scheduled in the next week or two.

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Commission will reconvene on March 20th, 2019

SIGNATURES

John Bunch

Approved

Wednesday March 20th, 2019

Bill Lant

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